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SUBJ: KEY ISSUES AT 29TH UNGA

REF: A. STATE 191253; B. STATE 192560; C. STATE 196841

1. CHARGE MET WITH MFA SEC GEN ADANDE SEPTEMBER 11 AND

DELIVERED NOTE VERBALE ATTACHED TO WHICH WERE APPROPRIATE
SECTIONS OF REFTEL A. CHARGE ALSO GAVE EXPANDED VERBAL
PRESENTATION OF CAMBODIAN ISSUE ALONG LINE REFTEL B AND OF KOREAN
ITEM AS PRESENTED REFTEL C.

2. ADANDE STATED THAT HE WOULD ENSURE THAT FONMIN OKUMBA AND
PRESIDENT BONGO, BOTH OF WHOM CURRENTLY VISITING
EQUATORIAL GUINEA, WOULD BE MADE AWARE OF VARIOUS U.S. POSITIONS.
IN RESPONSE TO CHARGE'S ATTEMPT TO DRAW HIM OUT ON SPECIFIC ISSUES,
ADANDE OFFERED FOLLOWING COMMENTS.

A. RE KOREAN ITEM: GOG'S PREFERENCE FOR "DIALOGUE", CORDIAL RELATIONS
WITH SOUTH KOREA AND RECENT ARRIVAL OF RESIDENT SOUTH KOREAN
AMBASSADOR LEAD HIM BELIEVE GOG WOULD FAVOR SEOUL IN ANY UNGA
DEBATE OR VOTE.

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B. CAMBODIAN CREDENTIALS: ADANDE RESOLUTELY REFUSED TO BE DRAWN OUT ON THIS ITEM LEADING TO CONCLUSION GOG MAY EITHER BE VERY UNDECIDED ON MATTER OR BE TENDING TO FAVOR SIHANOUK POSITION.

C. PORTUGUESE TERRITORIES: CHARGE NOTED THAT PRESIDENT FORD HAD SENT PERSONAL MESSAGE SEPTEMBER 10 TO GUINEA-BISSAU PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL OF STATE LUIS CABRAL EXTENDING RECOGNITION. ADANDE SAID GOG PLEASED AT THIS NEWS. FROM ENSUING COMMENTS ADANDE GAVE IMPRESSION HIS GOVERNMENT WOULD TAKE GENERALLY MODERATE STANCE RE TIMETABLE FOR INDEPENDENCE OF PORTUGUESE COLONIES. HE REMINDED CHARGE, HOWEVER, OF GABONESE "SPECIAL" CONCERN FOR SAO TOME AND PRINCIPE. COUNTRYMAN

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